

Air Force #1 Pool -- Grand Junction to West Yellowstone

The President was accompanied by Susan and Jack on the chopper trip to the Grand Junction airport. There was a crowd of about 500 waiting, some carrying "Ford-Dole" signs. One said "Specifics, Not Smiles." The President shook dozens of hands before boarding AF-1, gave a "double-whammy" wave at the top of the ramp.

Flight was uneventful. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Engberg
Beckman

In response to questions,

Nessen came back to ~~XXX~~ say that a decision on when to start the campaign still hasn't been made. There are "several invitations to sort thru," he said, and could offer no guidance on whether the official start will come Labor Day week-end or later.

First Campaign

In response to a question, Nessen said the ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ decisions--format, location, etc.--will "probably be made this week."